

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Code 22673
Product Name XL Plus

Other means of identification

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Use only for the purpose on the product label.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer / Manufactured For

Ross Chemical Systems, Inc.
PO Box 523
Altoona, IA 50009
Phone: (515) 244-1788

Emergency telephone number

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number 1-800-535-5053

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 5
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)	Category 4
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 3
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 3

Label elements

Emergency Overview

Warning

Hazard statements

May be harmful if swallowed
Harmful if inhaled
Causes serious eye irritation
Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects



Appearance White

Physical state Powder

Odor Citrus

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid release to the environment.

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific Treatment (See Section 4 on the SDS).

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
 IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water.

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place away from strong acids and oxidizing agents. Keep out of reach of children.

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**Other Information**

Unknown Acute Toxicity 6.55% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Sodium Carbonate	497-19-8	15-40	*
Nonylphenol Polyethylene Glycol Ether	127087-87-0	10-30	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General advice	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
Skin Contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
Eye contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Inhalation	If dust is formed or irritation occurs, leave area and do not return until dust has settled. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Self-protection of the first aider	Use personal protective equipment as required.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms Gastrointestinal discomfort. The product causes irritation of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Prolonged or repeated contact may be drying to skin.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

No Information available.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Use personal protective equipment as required. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Avoid creating dust. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Residual material may be diluted with water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use with local exhaust ventilation.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Keep out of the reach of children.

Incompatible materials Strong acids.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	-	(vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³	TWA: 5 mg/m ³

NIOSH IDLH *Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health*

Other Information Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

- Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.
- Skin and body protection** Wear chemical resistant gloves.
- Respiratory protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators or air purifying respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Powder
Appearance White
Odor Citrus
Odor threshold No Information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	10.0 - 12.0	1% solution
Specific Gravity	N/A	
Viscosity	No Information available	
Melting point/freezing point	No Information available	
Boiling point / boiling range	N/A	
Flash point	N/A	
Evaporation rate	N/A	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No Information available	
Upper flammability limit:	N/A	
Lower flammability limit:	N/A	
Vapor pressure	N/A	
Vapor density	N/A	
Water solubility	N/A	
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	No Information available	
Autoignition temperature	No Information available	
Decomposition temperature	No Information available	

Other Information

Density Lbs/Gal No Information available
VOC Content (%) 0.23175

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
 No data available

Chemical stability
 Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to avoid

Elevated temperature.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Oxides of carbon.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information	No data available
Inhalation	No data available.
Eye contact	Severely irritating to eyes.
Skin Contact	No data available.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium Carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m ³ (Rat) 2 h
Nonylphenol Polyethylene Glycol Ether 127087-87-0	= 1310 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Zeolite 1318-02-1	= 5000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	= 2.4 mg/L (Rat) 1 h
Sodium Tripolyphosphate 7758-29-4	= 3120 mg/kg (Rat)	> 7940 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium Perborate Tetrahydrate 10486-00-7	= 2567 mg/kg (Rat) = 1200 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
Water 7732-18-5	> 90 mL/kg (Rat)	-	-
Dodecylbenzenesulfonic Acid, Sodium Salt 68081-81-2	> 1000 mg/kg (Rat)	> 2000 mg/kg (Rat)	-
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	1000 - 3000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
D-Limonene 94266-47-4	= 4400 mg/kg (Rat)	> 5000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium Trimetaphosphate 7785-84-4	= 10300 mg/kg (Rat)	> 4640 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium Sulfate 7757-82-6	> 10000 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No Information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization	No Information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No Information available.
Carcinogenicity	The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.
	<i>IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)</i>
	<i>Group 3 -Not classifiable as a human carcinogen</i>
Reproductive toxicity	No Information available.
STOT - single exposure	No Information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No Information available.
Chronic toxicity	Avoid repeated exposure.
Target organ effects	EYES, Respiratory system, Skin.
Aspiration hazard	No Information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 6.55% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.
The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

42.89% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Sodium Carbonate 497-19-8	242: 120 h Nitzschia mg/L EC50	300: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 310 - 1220: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	265: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Zeolite 1318-02-1	18: 96 h Desmodemus subspicatus mg/L EC50	1800 - 3200: 96 h Poecilia reticulata mg/L LC50 semi-static 1800: 96 h Brachydanio rerio mg/L LC50 semi-static 3200 - 5600: 96 h Oryzias latipes mg/L LC50 semi-static	1000 - 1800: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Sodium Tripolyphosphate 7758-29-4	-	1650: 48 h Leuciscus idus mg/L LC50	-
D-Limonene 94266-47-4	Unknown	Unknown	<30,000 ppm with M. bahia in a Generic seven drilling fluid
Sodium Sulfate 7757-82-6	-	13500: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 13500 - 14500: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 3040 - 4380: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus mg/L LC50 static 6800: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static	630: 96 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 2564: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

Persistence and degradability

No Information available.

Bioaccumulation

No Information available.

Other adverse effects

No Information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container.

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Sodium Carbonate 497-19-8	Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The shipping classification information in this section (Section 14) is meant as a guide to the overall classification of the product.

However, transportation classifications may be subject to change with changes in package size. Consult shipper requirements under 49 CFR, IATA and IMDG to assure regulatory compliance.

DOT Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Does not comply
EINECS/ELINCS	Does not comply
ENCS	Does not comply
IECSC	Does not comply
KECL	Does not comply
PICCS	Does not comply
AICS	Does not comply

Legend:

- TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory.
- DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List.
- EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances.
- ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
- IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
- KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
- PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
- AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Tetrasodium Pyrophosphate 7722-88-5	X	X	X
Sodium Trimetaphosphate 7785-84-4	-	X	X
Sodium Sulfate 7757-82-6	-	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION**HMIS** Health hazards 1 Flammability 0 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection XLegend

N/A - Not Applicable

N/E - Not Established

N/D - Not Determined

N/K - Not Known

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